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## **DEQ TO FUND SMALL HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE PROJECTS**

The Louisiana Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) is pleased to announce the availability of funds for the development of local household hazardous waste ABOP Collection Points. These collection points will receive Antifreeze, Batteries, used lubricating Oils, and latex Paint (ABOP) from residents. ABOP collection items typically account for eighty-five percent of household hazardous wastes. The Department's goal is to establish as many ABOP Collection Points in Louisiana as possible and ultimately reduce the quantity of household hazardous wastes going to municipal landfills.

Louisiana municipalities, parish governments and 501(c)(3) nonprofit corporations are eligible to apply for funding for these ABOP Collection Point funds. Applicants will significantly increase their chances of being funded if their request is for less than \$5,000 and they include local cost sharing (cash or in-kind match). An electronic copy is available at <http://www.ldeq.org/assistance/abop>. Submissions must be received by 4:30 pm Friday May 17, 2002.

Proposals may be mailed to:  
**Department of Environmental Quality**  
**Office of Environmental Services**  
**Environmental Assistance Division – Recycling**  
**P.O. Box 82135**  
**Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70884-2135**  
**Attention: Mona Miller**

Courier or hands delivered proposals are to be sent to:  
**Department of Environmental Quality**  
**Office of Environmental Services**  
**Environmental Assistance Division – Recycling**  
**2<sup>nd</sup> Floor Receptionist**  
**7290 Bluebonnet Boulevard**  
**Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70810**  
**Attention: Mona Miller**

FAX delivery to: either (225) 765-0921 or (225) 765-0222  
Contact: Karen Fisher-Brasher or John Rogers at (225) 765-0149 or (800) 305-6621

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